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1. The following air activity and aircraft were observed at Briesen airfield between 2 and 21 April, 1955:

2 to 11 April. There was individual and formation flying on 5, 6, 7, and 8 April. There was also night flying on 6 April.

On 5 April, 28 Il-28s and 2 Li-2s were parked at the field after air activity was completed.

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13 to 21 April. There was intensive local ^{night} flying on 13, 20 and 21 April and intensive formation flying during the daytime on 19 April.

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2. On 20 April, one light AA gun was being emplaced in the newly constructed emplacement north of the field near the target range at Jagen (forest district) 85. 2

3. 16 new trucks arrived at the field in mid-April.

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1. Comment. Briesen airfield is occupied by one bomber regiment which is equipped with about 30 Il-28s.

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2. Comment. This is the first information that has been reported on AAA protection at the field in quite some time.

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